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Hon. Daniel J. Stewart, U.S. Magistrate Judge (via ECF)

United States District Court Northern District of New York James T. Foley U.S. Courthouse 445 Broadway, Room 441 Albany, NY 12207

Re: Oliver v NYS Police

Northern District of New York 15-CV-0444 (BKS)(DJS)

Dear Judge Stewart:

This office represents Defendants in this litigation. As the Court is aware, an investigation regarding potential conflicts in representation concerning the multiple Defendants in this litigation has been ongoing.

I have been advised that the Office of the Attorney General (OAG) has uncovered a conflict that makes it inappropriate for the OAG to continue to represent the Defendants. This office is in the process of certifying outside counsel to represent the Defendants pursuant to Public Officers Law §17, and informing the Defendants of that certification.

This office respectfully requests an additional 45 days to permit time for certification of outside counsel, and so that new counsel may appear for the Defendants.

Thank you for your kind consideration to this request.

Respectfully yours,

s/John F. Moore\_\_\_\_

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